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deposition

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BASIC-ABSTRACT:

A 1 nm thick layer of BN is deposited on the sapphire substrate by gas-phase epitaxy using a NH3-BCl3 mixt. The epitaxial layer of GaN or GaxAl1-xN is deposited subsequently. During cooling down the epitaxial layer separates from the substrate.

USE/ADVANTAGE - The method is used for the produ. of layers of the epitaxial material which can be studied without a carrier present. It provides layers free from stress due to mismatch of the thermal expansion-coefft. The sapphire substrate can be reused.

In an example, a sapphire substrate is heated to 1050 deg.C and a mixture of BCl3 and an excess of NH3 is admitted with a N2 carrier gas during 10 seconds. Then the required epitaxial layer is deposited in a conventional way. When the required thickness has been achieved the supply of reagent gases is stopped and the heating switched off.

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